such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than six hundred and fifty dollars (\$650.00) per school year.

Sec. 9. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland. That no teacher of colored children holding a secondgrade State certificate of the first class shall receive a salary of less than four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a second-grade State certificate of the first class, and has taught three years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a secondgrade State certificate of the first class, and has taught five years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than five hundred and fifty dollars (\$550.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a second-grade State certificate of the first class, and has taught eight years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a second-grade State certificate of the first class, and has taught eleven years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than six hundred and fifty dollars (\$650.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a second-grade State certificate of the first class. and has taught fifteen years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than seven hundred dollars (\$700.00) per school year.

Sec. 10. And be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That no teacher of colored children holding a firstgrade State certificate of the first class shall receive a salary of less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a first-grade State certificate of the first class, and has taught three years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than five hundred and fifty dollars (\$550.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a first-grade State certificate of the first class, and has taught five years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than six hundred dollars (\$600.00) per school year. Provided, if such teacher holds a first-grade State certificate of the first class, and has taught eight years in the public schools of Allegany County, such teacher shall receive a salary of not less than six hundred and fifty dollars (\$650.00)